

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for postgraduate programmes](#), and the [marking and classification conventions for postgraduate programmes](#).

MA MEDIEVAL AND RENAISSANCE LITERARY STUDIES (Q3K407)

1. Location: Durham City.
2. Duration: 12 months (full-time) and part-time (24 months).

Programme structure

3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

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| Dissertation | ENGL44790 | Credit value 90 |
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A further 90 credits shall be studied from modules in List A and List B or approved modules offered by another Board of Studies

4. Candidates shall study and be assessed in modules to the minimum value of 60 credits and to the maximum value of 90 credits from **List A**:

| List A: | | Credit value |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Old Norse | ENGL53030 | 30 |
| Warrior Poets in Heroic Societies | ENGL41330 | 30 |
| Narrative Transformations: Medieval Romance to Renaissance Epic | ENGL53630 | 30 |
| Renaissance Humanism | ENGL53130 | 30 |
| Renaissance Tragedy | ENGL53530 | 30 |
| Lyric Poetry of the English Renaissance and Reformation | ENGL43430 | 30 |
| Elegy: from John Milton to Seamus Heaney | ENGL40530 | 30 |
| Middle English Manuscripts and Texts | ENGL41130 | 30 |

5. If modules to the value of 60 credits are studied from List A, candidates may also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 30 credits from **List B**:

| List B: | | Credit value |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Reflections on Revolution, 1789-1922 | ENGL40930 | 30 |
| Romantic Forms of Grief | ENGL41730 | 30 |
| Women and the Novel in the Eighteenth Century | ENGL41930 | 30 |
| Literary Masculinity at the <i>Fin-de-Siècle</i> | ENGL53830 | 30 |
| Modernism and Touch | ENGL43530 | 30 |
| T. S. Eliot | ENGL44330 | 30 |
| Modern Poetry | ENGL52730 | 30 |
| The Writing of Poetry | ENGL40830 | 30 |
| Reading as a Writer | ENGL43330 | 30 |
| Blood and Soil: Regionalism and Contemporary US Crime Narrative | ENGL43630 | 30 |
| Thinking with Things in Victorian Literature | ENGL43130 | 30 |
| The Contemporary US Novel | ENGL42730 | 30 |
| Shame and Modern Writing | ENGL44530 | 30 |
| Romantic and Victorian Labouring-Class Poetry | ENGL44630 | 30 |
| Modules to the value of 30 credits from those offered by another Board of Studies** § | | 30 |

Assessment, progression and award

6. Modules marked with the ** symbol require the approval of the Board of Studies concerned and the Board of Studies in English Studies.
7. § If modules to the value of 30 credits are taken from those offered by another Board of Studies, the remaining 60 credits worth of modules must be taken from List A.